

STILLWATER COUNTY
INSPECTION FEES
Effective May 15, 1995

ENCROACHMENT PERMIT CLASSIFICATION

MINIMUM FEE

DRIVEWAY OR PRIVATE ROAD APPROACH:

New construction, expanded use, alteration of
Or relocation of an existing approach.

\$75.00 each

WORK IN RIGHT OF WAY:

All projects which involve work in the right of way
(ie: trimming and removing trees, ditch repairs, etc.)

\$75.00 per mile

UTILITY SERVICE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE:

Utility service connections to existing facilities in right of way

\$75.00 each

Underground utility service installation and maintenance,
10 cents per foot up to 1 mile (5280 feet) and 5 cents per foot
in excess of 1 mile

\$75.00 minimum

Utility pole installation or replacement per mile (5280 feet)

\$75.00 per mile

All road crossings (bored, trenched, overhead culverts and
Cattle guards

\$75.00 each

Private cable T. V. companies, oil & gas pipelines, communication companies, water systems, and public and/or private irrigation systems crossing or using public right of way will be treated under the same schedule of fees as utility service installation and maintenance.

All costs incurred by the County Road Department or it's representatives associated with the testing, inspection and correction of deficiencies will be charged to the responsible permittee.

Stillwater County reserves the right to require a performance bond securing the restoration of County facilities to assure compliance with right of way permit requirements.

STILLWATER COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 96-

WHEREAS, Montana Statutes 7-14-2101 et. Seq. gives general power to the Board of County Commissioners to do whatever may be necessary for the best interest of the County roads, and

WHEREAS, the County incurs additional costs at the taxpayers expense whenever inspecting, reviewing or repairing construction work within county right of way, and

WHEREAS, public health, safety and general welfare of Stillwater County will be better served if there is a permit system required to allow for review of permit applications with plans and specifications for construction work within the County right of way, proof of insurance, and a financial guarantee in the amount required to cover the estimated cost to repair construction work affecting County roads and associated facilities provided by the applicant.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that a permit is required for construction work within County right of way. A complete application form must be submitted for review and will be processed in accordance with the approved policy on permit requirements for construction work in County right of way. This includes requirements for the applicant to provide proof of insurance and financial guarantee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a fee schedule with a minimum \$75.00 inspection fee is hereby adopted.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Stillwater County, Montana this 22 day of April, 1996.